

Ohio County Profiles



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Brown County

Established: Act - March 1, 1819
2017 Population: 43,576
Land Area: 491.8 square miles
County Seat: Georgetown Village
Named for: General Jacob Brown, War of 1812



Taxes

Taxable value of real property	\$761,341,030
Residential	\$488,342,570
Agriculture	\$207,820,930
Industrial	\$5,678,500
Commercial	\$59,498,930
Mineral	\$100
Ohio income tax liability	\$14,942,361
Average per return	\$846.69

Land Use/Land Cover

	Percent
Developed, Lower Intensity	5.88%
Developed, Higher Intensity	0.56%
Barren (strip mines, gravel pits, etc.)	0.13%
Forest	36.80%
Shrub/Scrub and Grasslands	3.22%
Pasture/Hay	17.36%
Cultivated Crops	35.28%
Wetlands	0.05%
Open Water	0.73%

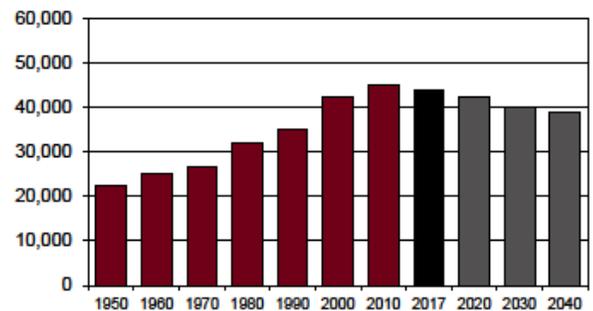
Largest Places

	Est. 2017	Census 2010
Georgetown vlg	4,308	4,331
Perry twp UB	4,301	4,276
Sterling twp UB	3,730	3,807
Mount Orab vlg	3,510	3,664
Pike twp UB	2,905	2,978
Clark twp UB	2,513	2,575
Lewis twp UB	2,389	2,446
Green twp UB	1,816	1,873
Ripley vlg	1,697	1,750
Franklin twp UB	1,613	1,651

UB: Unincorporated balance.

Total Population

Census		Estimated	
1800		1910	24,832
1810		1920	22,621
1820	13,356	1930	20,148
1830	17,867	1940	21,638
1840	22,715	1950	22,221
1850	27,332	1960	25,178
1860	29,958	1970	26,635
1870	30,802	1980	31,920
1880	32,911	1990	34,966
1890	29,899	2000	42,285
1900	28,237	2010	44,846
		Projected	
		2020	42,350
		2030	40,070
		2040	38,700



Population by Race	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	44,059	100.0%
White	42,800	97.1%
African-American	424	1.0%
Native American	62	0.1%
Asian	92	0.2%
Pacific Islander	2	0.0%
Other	130	0.3%
Two or More Races	549	1.2%
Hispanic (may be of any race)	360	0.8%
Total Minority	1,463	3.3%

Educational Attainment	Number	Percent
Persons 25 years and over	30,392	100.0%
No high school diploma	4,479	14.7%
High school graduate	14,512	47.7%
Some college, no degree	5,384	17.7%
Associate degree	2,237	7.4%
Bachelor's degree	2,607	8.6%
Master's degree or higher	1,173	3.9%

Family Type by Employment Status	Number	Percent
Total Families	12,019	100.0%
Married couple, husband and wife in labor force	3,890	32.4%
Married couple, husband in labor force, wife not	2,005	16.7%
Married couple, wife in labor force, husband not	1,015	8.4%
Married couple, husband and wife not in labor force	2,016	16.8%
Male householder, in labor force	725	6.0%
Male householder, not in labor force	236	2.0%
Female householder, in labor force	1,270	10.6%
Female householder, not in labor force	862	7.2%

Household Income	Number	Percent
Total Households	17,047	100.0%
Less than \$10,000	1,254	7.4%
\$10,000 to \$19,999	2,081	12.2%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1,586	9.3%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	2,005	11.8%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1,912	11.2%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	1,692	9.9%
\$60,000 to \$74,999	2,055	12.1%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	2,109	12.4%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	1,520	8.9%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	474	2.8%
\$200,000 or more	359	2.1%
Median household income	\$47,999	

Population by Age	Number	Percent
ACS Total Population	44,059	100.0%
Under 5 years	2,498	5.7%
5 to 17 years	7,753	17.6%
18 to 24 years	3,416	7.8%
25 to 44 years	10,435	23.7%
45 to 64 years	12,545	28.5%
65 years and more	7,412	16.8%
Median Age	41.1	

Family Type by Presence of Own Children Under 18	Number	Percent
Total Families	12,029	100.0%
Married-couple families with own children	2,743	22.8%
Male householder, no wife present, with own children	520	4.3%
Female householder, no husband present, with own children	1,130	9.4%
Families with no own children	7,636	63.5%

Poverty Status of Families By Family Type by Presence Of Related Children	Number	Percent
Total Families	12,029	100.0%
Family income above poverty level	10,502	87.3%
Family income below poverty level	1,527	12.7%
Married couple, with related children	222	1.8%
Male householder, no wife present, with related children	153	1.3%
Female householder, no husband present, with related children	709	5.9%
Families with no related children	443	3.7%

Ratio of Income To Poverty Level	Number	Percent
Population for whom poverty status is determined	43,108	100.0%
Below 50% of poverty level	3,552	8.2%
50% to 99% of poverty level	3,627	8.4%
100% to 124% of poverty level	2,640	6.1%
125% to 149% of poverty level	1,844	4.3%
150% to 184% of poverty level	3,104	7.2%
185% to 199% of poverty level	1,648	3.8%
200% of poverty level or more	26,693	61.9%

Geographical Mobility	Number	Percent
Population aged 1 year and older	43,498	100.0%
Same house as previous year	39,336	90.4%
Different house, same county	1,891	4.3%
Different county, same state	1,518	3.5%
Different state	718	1.7%
Abroad	35	0.1%

Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

Travel Time To Work

	Number	Percent
Workers 16 years and over	17,680	100.0%
Less than 15 minutes	3,436	19.4%
15 to 29 minutes	3,951	22.3%
30 to 44 minutes	3,755	21.2%
45 to 59 minutes	2,811	15.9%
60 minutes or more	3,727	21.1%

Mean travel time 36.3 minutes

Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	19,599	100.0%
Occupied housing units	17,047	87.0%
Owner occupied	12,789	75.0%
Renter occupied	4,258	25.0%
Vacant housing units	2,552	13.0%

Year Structure Built

	Number	Percent
Total housing units	19,599	100.0%
Built 2014 or later	109	0.6%
Built 2010 to 2013	354	1.8%
Built 2000 to 2009	3,145	16.0%
Built 1990 to 1999	4,068	20.8%
Built 1980 to 1989	2,454	12.5%
Built 1970 to 1979	2,540	13.0%
Built 1960 to 1969	1,456	7.4%
Built 1950 to 1959	1,385	7.1%
Built 1940 to 1949	712	3.6%
Built 1939 or earlier	3,376	17.2%

Median year built 1981

Value for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units	12,789	100.0%
Less than \$20,000	817	6.4%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	426	3.3%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	724	5.7%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	1,112	8.7%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	1,813	14.2%
\$100,000 to \$124,999	2,271	17.8%
\$125,000 to \$149,999	1,294	10.1%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,763	13.8%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	1,581	12.4%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	685	5.4%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	171	1.3%
\$1,000,000 or more	132	1.0%

Median value \$116,500

House Heating Fuel

	Number	Percent
Occupied housing units	17,047	100.0%
Utility gas	2,346	13.8%
Bottled, tank or LP gas	2,290	13.4%
Electricity	9,898	58.1%
Fuel oil, kerosene, etc	1,252	7.3%
Coal, coke or wood	1,043	6.1%
Solar energy or other fuel	114	0.7%
No fuel used	104	0.6%

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Gross Rent

	Number	Percent
Specified renter-occupied housing units	4,258	100.0%
Less than \$100	21	0.5%
\$100 to \$199	171	4.0%
\$200 to \$299	270	6.3%
\$300 to \$399	248	5.8%
\$400 to \$499	304	7.1%
\$500 to \$599	582	13.7%
\$600 to \$699	563	13.2%
\$700 to \$799	545	12.8%
\$800 to \$899	390	9.2%
\$900 to \$999	214	5.0%
\$1,000 to \$1,499	342	8.0%
\$1,500 or more	60	1.4%
No cash rent	548	12.9%

Median gross rent \$640

Median gross rent as a percentage of household income 27.0

Selected Monthly Owner Costs for Specified Owner-Occupied Housing Units

	Number	Percent
Specified owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage	7,848	100.0%
Less than \$400	97	1.2%
\$400 to \$599	319	4.1%
\$600 to \$799	1,143	14.6%
\$800 to \$999	1,607	20.5%
\$1,000 to \$1,249	1,759	22.4%
\$1,250 to \$1,499	1,366	17.4%
\$1,500 to \$1,999	1,073	13.7%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	407	5.2%
\$3,000 or more	77	1.0%

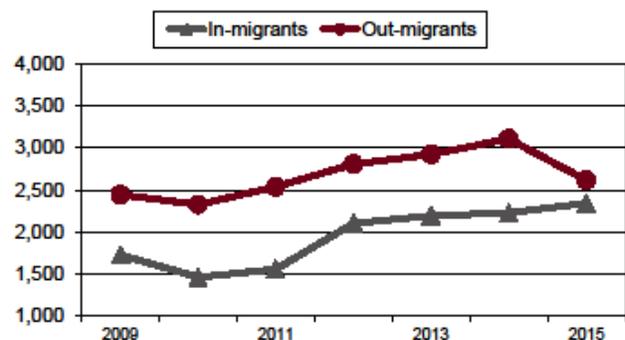
Median monthly owners cost \$1,108

Median monthly owners cost as a percentage of household income 21.0

Vital Statistics

	Number	Rate
Births / rate per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44	492	64.9
Teen births / rate per 1,000 females 15-19	38	27.9
Deaths / rate per 100,000 population	521	1,190.6

Migration



Agriculture

Land in farms (acres)	206,446
Number of farms	1,379
Average size (acres)	150
Total cash receipts	\$82,590,000
Per farm	\$59,891
Receipts for crops	\$73,087,000
Receipts for livestock/products	\$9,502,000

Education

Public schools buildings	18
Students (Average Daily Membership)	7,525
Teachers (Full Time Equivalent)	436.3
Expenditures per student	\$8,491
Graduation rate	91.3
Non-public schools	1
Students	94
4-year public universities	0
Branches	0
2-year public colleges/satellites	1
Private universities and colleges	0
Public libraries (Districts / Facilities)	2 / 8

Transportation

Registered motor vehicles	60,575
Passenger cars	34,117
Noncommercial trucks	12,751
Total license revenue	\$1,549,760.90
Permissive tax revenue	\$66,307.50
Interstate highway miles	0.00
Turnpike miles	0.00
U.S. highway miles	89.02
State highway miles	118.68
County, township, and municipal road miles	825.54
Commercial airports	1

Health Care

Physicians (MDs & DOs)	20
Registered hospitals	0
Number of beds	0
Licensed nursing homes	4
Number of beds	469
Licensed residential care	1
Number of beds	32
Persons with health insurance (Aged 0 to 64)	92.4%
Adults with insurance (Aged 18 to 64)	91.4%
Children with insurance (Aged Under 19)	95.1%

Voting

Number of registered voters	28,405
Voted in 2016 election	19,889
Percent turnout	70.0%

Communications

Television stations	0
Radio stations	2
Daily newspapers	0
Circulation	0
Weekly newspapers	2
Circulation	4,031

Crime

Total crimes reported in Uniform Crime Report	567
Violent crime	30
Property crime	536
Arson	1

Finance

FDIC insured financial institutions (HQs)	1
Assets (000)	\$66,691
Branch offices	16
Institutions represented	8

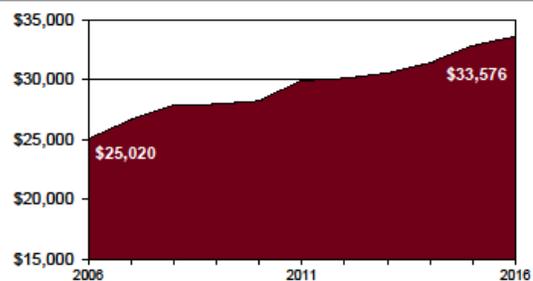
Transfer Payments

Total transfer payments	\$427,574,000
Payments to individuals	\$416,480,000
Retirement and disability	\$148,936,000
Medical payments	\$207,536,000
Income maintenance (Supplemental SSI, family assistance, food stamps, etc)	\$35,458,000
Unemployment benefits	\$3,747,000
Veterans benefits	\$11,492,000
Federal education and training assistance	\$5,619,000
Other payments to individuals	\$3,692,000
Total personal income	\$1,469,244,000
Dependency ratio	29.1%
(Percent of income from transfer payments)	

State Parks, Forests, Nature Preserves, Scenic Waterways, And Wildlife Areas

Areas/Facilities	3
Acreage	2,270.61

Per Capita Personal Income



Civilian Labor Force

	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
Civilian labor force	19,700	19,500	19,500	19,700	20,100
Employed	18,600	18,400	18,300	18,200	18,100
Unemployed	1,100	1,100	1,200	1,500	2,000
Unemployment rate	5.7	5.7	6.2	7.5	10.2

Establishments, Employment, and Wages by Sector: 2016

Industrial Sector	Number of Establishments	Average Employment	Total Wages	Average Weekly Wage
Private Sector	569	6,057	\$203,850,320	\$647
Goods-Producing	92	1,114	\$46,841,476	\$809
Natural Resources and Mining	5	39	\$2,191,642	\$1,090
Constuction	49	202	\$8,610,644	\$821
Manufacturing	38	873	\$36,039,190	\$794
Service-Providing	477	4,943	\$157,008,844	\$611
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	147	1,765	\$75,808,731	\$826
Information	7	24	\$1,405,548	\$1,138
Financial Services	59	260	\$8,141,035	\$602
Professional and Business Services	63	367	\$14,069,485	\$736
Education and Health Services	85	1,415	\$41,077,765	\$558
Leisure and Hospitality	66	919	\$11,916,938	\$249
Other Services	50	194	\$4,589,342	\$456
Federal Government		87	\$4,193,790	\$930
State Government		307	\$13,726,530	\$861
Local Government		1,629	\$57,810,521	\$683

Private Sector total includes Unclassified establishments not shown.

Change Since 2011

Private Sector	5.8%	1.8%	8.8%	6.8%
Goods-Producing	-8.9%	15.4%	19.0%	3.1%
Natural Resources and Mining	66.7%	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Construction	-15.5%	* * * * *	Data Not Available	* * * * *
Manufacturing	-5.0%	29.0%	35.8%	5.3%
Service-Producing	9.2%	-0.9%	6.1%	7.0%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	14.0%	-0.3%	7.2%	7.6%
Information	16.7%	-20.0%	-2.9%	21.6%
Financial Services	11.3%	-1.5%	13.4%	15.1%
Professional and Business Services	16.7%	36.9%	51.3%	10.2%
Education and Health Services	34.9%	-9.9%	-8.4%	1.6%
Leisure and Hospitality	-10.8%	5.3%	20.7%	14.7%
Other Services	-15.3%	-8.1%	-2.1%	7.0%
Federal Government		-1.1%	5.4%	6.7%
State Government		19.9%	23.6%	3.0%
Local Government		-8.0%	-6.4%	1.8%

Major & Notable Employers

Eastern Local Schools	Govt
Milacron LLC	Mfg
Ohio Valley Manor	Serv
RULH Local Schools	Govt
Southern State Community College	Govt
Stanley Black & Decker	Mfg
Surgical Appliance Industries	Trade
Western Brown Local Schools	Govt

Residential Construction

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Total units	61	60	63	70	71
Total valuation (000)	\$9,719	\$9,560	\$10,038	\$11,153	\$18,368
Total single-unit bldgs	61	60	63	70	71
Average cost per unit	\$159,330	\$159,330	\$159,330	\$159,330	\$258,704
Total multi-unit bldg units	0	0	0	0	0
Average cost per unit	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0